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New York Youth and Bride Lived as Millionaires

NOW SOUGHT BY POLICE

Motor Cars, Rich Jewels, Expensive Dinners and Suite at Fashionable Hotel Out of Proceeds of Embellishments From Employers

(Canadian Press) New York, Sept. 15.—John Schlicht, twenty-two years old, cashier of expert department of the Washburn-Flores Company, has vanished in the splendid suite he occupied throughout the summer in the Eden City hotel.

With him has vanished a beautiful woman, who, at his bride, was a peer's desire for a time. Whether it is Queen Mother Alexandra's affection for some magnificent tapestries, or a peer's desire to possess some valuable antique furniture, or the holders of royal residences who try to pass off loans as presents, cases show that the late King Edward VII was a person whom others after his death are trying to victimize. There has been no man suggesting the opposite.

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An incident at the exhibition grounds yesterday, when two clergymen were refused admission, has created talk. Rev. Dr. Smith said today that he and Rev. Mr. Wilson had gone there merely as citizens and not as representatives of the Lord's Day Alliance.

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PHONE ON I. C. R. FOR DISPATCHING

Try it First on St. John-Moncton Section—Two New Departments and Other Matters for Government Railway

(Canadian Press) Montreal, Sept. 15.—Two new departments and an improved organization of the whole I. C. R. system will soon be in operation, said F. P. Gutelius, general manager of the Intercolonial Railway today.

On the programme of improvement are the double tracking of several sections of the road, increased yard and work shop facilities, improved ferry service at the Strait of Canoe, installation of a telephone service on the Moncton-St. John line, and the introduction of the automatic block system. The construction of several new and attractive station houses is also planned.

Speaking of work shop facilities, Mr. Gutelius said it did not pay to make an absolute concentration of mechanical force at headquarters, and at the River Du Loup shop fifty additional men were recently appointed. All boiler repairs, however, must be done at the Moncton shops.

The contract for eight miles of double tracking from Levis to Chaudiere Junction was awarded on Saturday to Messrs. Soper and McDougal. The yards at Levis, too, are to be extended to accommodate the new freight trains. A second ferry boat for the Canoe crossing will be provided soon at a cost of \$800,000, and this will give a more efficient service.

The train despatching by telephone on the St. John and Moncton section will mark the first attempt of this kind on the government system. At the same time the automatic block system is to be introduced.

(Special To Times) Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 15.—It is reported today that the I. C. R. proposes to abandon the main line for three miles north of Moncton, to run in and out of the city over the Transcontinental Railway from "Moncton Junction," near Cornhill street, to the three mile culvert.

A cut off has been completed between the I. C. R. and N. T. R. at the three mile culvert. At this point the railway are only fifty feet apart. It is said that the I. C. R. yards at the new shops and will be able to attend on account of unfavorable weather and almost impossible to send in requests by telephone to a large number from out lying points to attend. Mr. Venit has promised to send later and Moncton shops will have an opportunity to hold and other rally.

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LIBERALS HOLD A STIRRING RALLY

Hon. H. R. Emerson Discusses Timely Matters at Meeting in Memramook

(Special To Times) Moncton, N. B., Sept. 15.—A Liberal rally in Memramook on Saturday evening was attended by many, despite a heavy downpour of rain. The speaker was accorded a magnificent reception.

The meeting was held at the C. M. B. A. hall with C. M. Legere, ex-M. P., as chairman. Stirring speeches were delivered by Hon. H. R. Emerson, P. J. Sweeney and P. J. Venit, the latter speaking in English and French. Mr. Emerson was greeted with a storm of applause, all rising and cheering and waving their hats and hands.

The proceedings closed with cheer for the king, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the speakers and Chairman Legere. Very many throughout the party were greatly disappointed at not being able to attend on account of unfavorable weather and almost impossible to send in requests by telephone to a large number from out lying points to attend. Mr. Venit has promised to send later and Moncton shops will have an opportunity to hold and other rally.

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Hope To Prove Murderer of Girl Was Pseudo Priest

He Had Also Passed as a Surgeon—Vicar-General Describes Him as Monster

(Canadian Press) New York, Sept. 15.—In the hope of branding as an impostor and pseudo priest the Rev. Hans Schmidt, the alleged self-confessed slayer of Anna Amalieg, victim of New York's River murder mystery, church authorities today began a sweeping investigation of his record and pretensions to ordination.

"We hope, of course, to be able to prove that this unrepentant monster was an impostor and that he had been using forged papers," declared Monsignor Lavelle, vicar general of the Archdiocese of New York. "That is something which we are trying to clear up now. He came to this diocese with credentials which were apparently in every way authentic through the night and across this morning to partake of a hearty breakfast. He had little to add to his alleged confession of last night in which he is said to have told the police that he killed his victim as she lay in bed, cut up her body in the bath tub of the apartment where he had established her, wrapped her in five bundles and dropped the bundles into the Hudson River. To the Rev. L. J. Evers, the Tomb's chaplain, Schmidt was said to have made the following declaration:

"I was directed to kill her by Saint Elizabeth, who is my patron, as a sacrifice, to be consummated by the sacrifice of Abraham, of the blood." To the police Schmidt is alleged to have said: "I killed her because I loved her." The police believe, however, that he killed her because she was soon to be married to a man who was a member of the same church in which he was both priest and bridegroom.

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VALET PAYS BACK \$60,000 TO KING

Had Contended Late Monarch Gave It to Him

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WELLS DEFEATED AND 300 ARE KILLED

Mexican Federals Now Seek To Intercept Remnant of Villas' Force

Paso, Texas, Sept. 15.—Three hundred soldiers of Francisco Villa's command were killed on Friday in a battle with the federal forces of General Carrasco and Antonio Rojas at Pecos, Chihuahua, according to official reports received today at the headquarters of General Carrasco at Pecos, Chihuahua, several rebels were made prisoners by the federal forces, among them Col. Porfirio Tabuantes, Villas' chief staff.

A large contingent of some hundred rebels who had been sent to the recent San Andres battle and who were being cared for at Bush Ranch were captured by the federal forces. The buildings of the Bush Ranch, which were set on fire and destroyed by federal forces.

General Jose Mier Salazar with 400 troops left Juarez today on a train to intercept Villas and the rest of his force, who are marching toward the border. Villas is reported to be hearing Casas Grandes.

COMMISSION VOTE IS ONLY DEFERRED

Excise Denied in Edmonton by Four to Three in Council

Edmonton, Alta., Sept. 15.—Aldermen of the city council for the first time in motion, on a "motion" as he called it, that a plebiscite be taken at the next municipal election in December to determine if the ratepayers desire a form of government, embracing the elective system, the initiative, referendum and recall. The motion was lost by a four to three vote.

J. Booth, who is organizing a reform league, says the motion was led by the right of expression, "being, but," he added, "in the end," Mayor Short that Alderman May, champion of the motion, had debared himself by debating the proposal by second motion for the question.

WEATHER BULLETIN Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, H. P. Stewart, director of meteorological service.

GOVERNOR WOOD TO OPEN FREDERICTON EXHIBITION TONIGHT

Fair up to Usual High Standard—Earl of Kingston to the Woods a-Hunting

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CURES AT LOURDES ARE REPORTED

Five Cases Told of in Cable From London Newspapers' Medical Correspondent at Shrine

(Canadian Press) London, Sept. 15.—The Daily Mail's medical correspondent, who has gone to Lourdes where some 16,000 pilgrims are gathered, has reported five cases of cures at the shrine.

The first case is that of a woman fifty-one years of age who for four years had been completely crippled by rheumatism of the leg, being able to crawl about only with great difficulty and the aid of crutches.

The second case is that of a girl of nine who was deaf and dumb and afflicted with St. Vitus Dance from an attack of scarlet fever three years ago. Her hearing is still somewhat defective in the right ear, but apparently is normal in the left.

The third case is that of a boy of seven, who suffered from advanced tubercular disease of the leg, being able to hobble about with crutches.

Grace Maloney, who a few days ago readily regained the use of a knee that had been deformed and useless for nine years through paralysis, now joins all the processions, walking unaided by crutches and without any limp.

Michael Downey, of Belfast, who, after being a complete cripple with rheumatism, is now able to walk without crutches, suddenly threw them away, continues to enjoy the use of his legs.

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SAYS HE WAS ONE OF MEN WHO DROVE IRISH LEADER TO HIS GRAVE

Larkin Attacks Murphy Owner of the Street Car Line in Dublin

Manchester, Eng., Sept. 15.—"Jim" Larkin, a Dublin labor leader, who is on bail awaiting trial on charge of making a seditious speech in an address at a labor meeting here on Sunday, said the race to which he belonged had never been beaten and the employers of the Irish city started to justify the boast that they would beat "Larkinism" they began an impossible task.

"I have a divine mission to make men and women discontented," Larkin said. "I have raised the flag of discontent from Belfast to Cork and brought new hope and new gospel workers to Ireland."

He concluded by saying, referring to Mr. Murphy, the owner of the street car lines in Dublin and the leader of the opposition to the labor union: "Murphy is one of the men who drove Charles Stewart Parnell to his grave. He took Parnell some twenty years ago and he would break his heart. I will break Murphy's or go to my grave in the attempt."

New York, Sept. 15.—A London cable says:—Hunger has become the ally of organized capital in the fight against the Dublin Transport Workers. By the end of this week the spectre of starvation will be a grim reality in the foul slums of the city, where life at best is a hand to mouth struggle to keep body and soul together.

There is no sign of weakening, however, on the part of James Larkin's devoted followers, despite a steady and ominous growth day by day in the employers' lockout.

EXPRESS COMPANY BUYS The Dominion Express Company has purchased the vacant lot extending from Pond to Carlton streets, adjoining the building of the express company, for the enlargement of their stables when necessary. The steady growth of their business has made it necessary for the company to prepare for such expansion.

THE NEW POST OFFICE Actual construction of the new post office building will be commenced this week. The wooden forms for the concrete foundations are now being prepared and the work of laying the foundations will be commenced at once.

EAST SIDE SHOWS ITS SORROW IN THE DEATH OF "BIG TIM" New York, Sept. 15.—"Big Tim" Sullivan, a quarter of a mile from the East Side for the last time today. His body was taken to the old Calcedon of St. Patrick, a quarter of a mile from the rooms of the association bearing his name, where it had lain in state since Saturday afternoon. The streets were tens of thousands of men and women from every section of New York gazed

NEW YORK'S FORMAL DEMAND FOR THAW HAS BEEN PRESENTED

Concord, N. H., Sept. 15.—The official request of the state of New York for the extradition of Harry K. Thaw, was filed at the residence of Governor Feltner today in the state house by Bernard Jacobs, a lawyer of Lancaster, N. H., who has been acting as Thaw's attorney.

Governor Feltner's desk was buried beneath a pile of letters and telegrams relating to the Thaw case. Most of these messages appeared to be the result of a movement originating in Kansas to secure a settlement favorable to Thaw.

The governor was not expected at the state house today.

DINELICT AT HALIFAX IS THE LOTTIE R. RUSSELL Halifax, N. S., Sept. 15.—The delect which was towed here by the U. S. cutter Albatross yesterday, was examined by a diver this morning and was found to be the bulk of the schooner Lottie R. Russell, which sailed from Charlottetown, S. C., on April 11, for New York and was abandoned two days later.

FOUR KILLED; SIX HURT AS TENEMENT COLLAPSES Coburg, Germany, Sept. 15.—Four persons were killed and six others injured here during the night by the collapse of a tenement house, caused by a gas explosion.

FIND \$4,000 IN PLUNDER IN TOM SAWYER'S CAVE Hannibal, Mo., Sept. 15.—Mark Twain's cave, south of Hannibal, where Tom Sawyer and his companions had their rendezvous, is the scene of the finding of \$4,000 worth of plunder, which five Hannibal boys confessed they had stolen. The boys told the police that after robbing trains and residences across the river from here they hid their loot in the woods and at night conveyed it across the river in a skiff. Seven thousand cigarettes were found in the cave.

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